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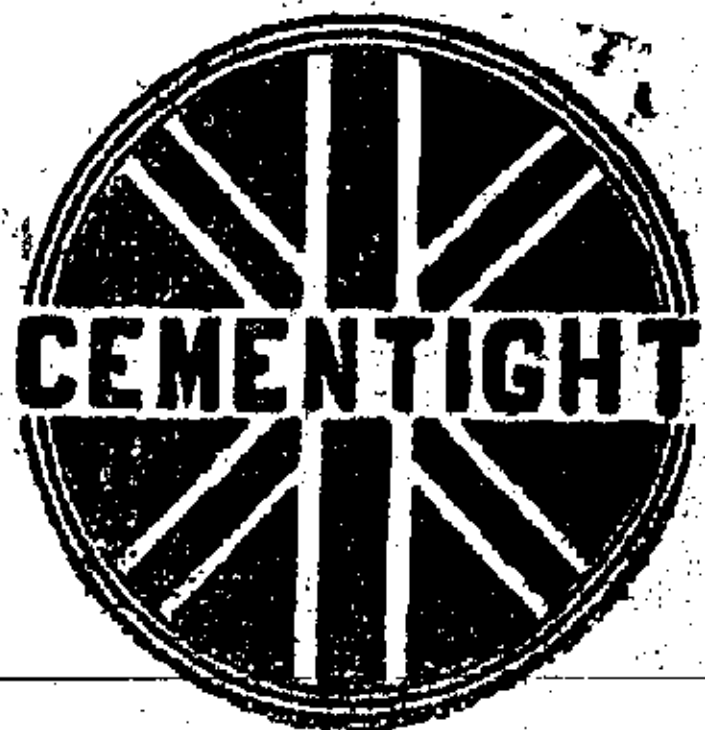
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BOTHEN MARK LODGE—No. 204.
A REGULAR MEETING of the
BOTHEN MARK LODGE will be
held at the Freemasons' Hall, on
TUESDAY, the 28th February, at 8.00 for
8.30 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren
are cordially invited to attend.
Hongkong, February 24, 1899. 463

LADIES' RECREATION CLUB.
TO MEMBERS ONLY.

BY kind permission of H. E. Admiral
VON DRESDEN, Capt. STUBB
ARAU, and OFFICERS of S. M. S.
KAISER, the Band will play at the Club
on TUESDAY next, Feb. 28th, from 3.30
to 5 p.m.

J. G. TURNER.
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, February 25, 1899. 478

DIOCESAN SCHOOL ORPHANAGE.
SCHOOL OF BOYS AND GIRLS
ON MONDAY, 6th March.
For Terms for Boarders or DAY-SCHOL-
ARS, apply to

THE HEAD MASTER.
Hongkong, February 25, 1899. 468

BARK KOSCIUSKO.

TENDERS for Purchase of above
VESSEL will be Received up to
March 22. Inventory, Survey Report and
Particulars obtainable from MASTER on
Board.
For Private Sale apply to Messrs. ARN-
OLD, KARRER & Co.
Hongkong, February 24, 1899. 463

**THE HONGKONG ROPE MANU-
FACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED.**

**THE FIFTEENTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEET-
ING OF SHAREHOLDERS** in the
Company will be held at the Company's
Office, No. 9, Praya Central, Victoria, on
WEDNESDAY, 15th March, at Twelve
o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving
a Statement of Accounts and the Report of
the General Managers for the year ending
31st December, 1898, declaring a Dividend
and electing a Consulting Committee and
Auditors.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-
pany will be CLOSED from 1st to 15th
March, both days inclusive.
SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, February 25, 1899. 476

BANQUE DE L'INDO CHINE.

THE OFFICES OF THIS BANK have been
REMOVED THIS DAY to the New
Building on CONNAUGHT ROAD, Praya
Reclamation.
J. G. F. AUGUSTIN,
Manager.
Hongkong, February 25, 1899. 482

**HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY,
LIMITED.**

NOTICE.
THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING
of SHAREHOLDERS in the
Company will be held at the Company's
Office, No. 9, Praya Central, Victoria, on
TUESDAY, the 14th March, 1899, at Noon, for the
purpose of receiving a Statement of Ac-
counts of the Company to the 31st Decem-
ber, 1898, with the Report of the Direc-
tors, and to discuss any matters that may
be competently brought before the Meet-
ing.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-
pany will be CLOSED from the 1st to the
14th March, 1899, both days inclusive.
By Order of the Board.
C. MOONEY,
Secretary.
Hongkong, February 20, 1899. 491

**THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.**

**THE THIRTIETH ORDINARY MEET-
ING OF SHAREHOLDERS** in the
Company will be held at the Company's
Office, No. 9, Praya Central, Victoria, on
TUESDAY, the 14th March, 1899, at Twelve
o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving
a Statement of Accounts and the Report of
the Directors for the year ending 31st Decem-
ber, 1898.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-
pany will be CLOSED from the 1st to the
14th March, 1899, both days inclusive.
By Order.
GEORGE L. JONES,
Secretary.
Hongkong, February 25, 1899. 494

**PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY**

Will dispatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES

FOR	STEAMSHIP	CAPTAIN	DATE
SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	D. O. GREGOR	R. E. B.	About 2nd March.
LONDON, &c.	F. N. JILLARD		Noon, 4th March.
YOKOHAMA & KURE	O. H. WATKINS	R. E. B.	4 p.m., 4th March.
SHANGHAI	E. STREET		About 4th March.
LONDON	R. L. HADDOCK	R. E. B.	About 9th March.

* See Special Advertisement.
For Freight or Passage, and further Particulars, apply to
H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, February 22, 1899. 420

DRAUGHT ALE & STOUT,

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Hongkong, January 12, 1899. 106

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Hongkong Agents—**W. HUTTON POTTS,**

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ceived on Arrangement with BANK or FINANCIAL

for Payment of Cost on production of Bills

of LADING.

9, BARRACOA STREET,
MANILA.
Manila, January 31, 1899. 296

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

OWING to the large and continued

increase of SUBSCRIBERS to the

CHINA MAIL,

We are compelled to go to Press earlier.

Alterations and additions to Advertisements

on Pages 1 and 4, should be sent

here not later than 10 a.m. New ADVER-

tisements should be sent before 4 p.m.

BAIN & REID,
Hongkong, October 1, 1898.

Business Notices.

THREE SPECIALITIES

WORTH CONSIDERING.

SCHLITZ BEER.

COUGH LINCTUS,

CHAMPAGNE BITTERS.

WATKINS & Co., AGENTS.

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LIMITED,

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BRICKS AND TILES, FIRE BRICKS AND FIRE CLAY,

&c., &c.

For Prices and further particulars, apply to

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co., General Managers.

HONGKONG CLUB.

NOTICE.

THE Thirtieth Yearly General MEET-

ING of the MEMBERS of the CLUB

will be held in the Club House on WED-

NESDAY, 1st March, 1899, at 5 p.m.

By Order,
C. H. GRACE,
Secretary. 448

NEW AMOY DOCK CO., LTD.

WANTED, A QUALIFIED PERSON,

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of the above Company, dating from the

31st March, 1899. Apply by Letter, en-

closing Copies of Testimonials, &c., to the

GENERAL MANAGER, Amoy.

J. FARROW,
General Manager. 177

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BOARD and RESIDENCE to a SINGLE

GENTLEMAN.

Apply 'H.'

Care of 'CHINA MAIL' OFFICE.

Hongkong, February 22, 1899. 450

Kinghorn & Macdonald,

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JOHN W. KINGHORN,

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DONALD MACDONALD.

Hongkong, May 28, 1898. 1063

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At MODERATE PRICES.

No. 9, D'Aguiar Street.

Head Office, No. 82, Sanmichiya, 1

Chome, Kobe, Japan.

Hongkong, January 9, 1899. 82

SIEN TING,

Surgeon-Dentist,
No. 10, D'Aguiar Street.

TERMS VERY MODERATE.

Consultation Free.

Hongkong, April 6, 1895. 698

JADESTONES & CURIOS

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public that we have been carrying

on Business as EXCHANGERS of CHINA GOODS

for upwards of 60 years past enjoying the

good opinion of all our numerous customers.

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the famous JADESTONES, PEARLS, JADE-

STONE and CRYSTAL WARE,

&c., &c.,

of the best description, which we offer at

most Moderate Prices.

Visitors are respectfully invited to call

and make inspection at our Premises, No.

90, Queen's Road Central.

SUN SHING,
Agents for Kwong Man Onong,
Hongkong, November 28, 1898. 2883

IN LIQUIDATION.

PREFERENCE Shareholders on the

REGISTER of the above Company

can now obtain Scrip for Shares in Queen

Mines, Limited, upon executing an Agree-

ment in my Office.

Shareholders NOT ON THE REGIS-

TER may transfer shares to me, but no

other transfers can be registered.

W. HUTTON POTTS,
Liquidator.

Office, No. 2, Albert Road,

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Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

TUESDAY,
The 28th February, 1899, at 2.45 p.m., at
Bay View No. 2, Kowloon, The Residence
of Captain Thompson.

**A QUANTITY OF
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.**
(Full Particulars can be seen from Catalogue).
On View from Noon on Monday, the 27th
February.

Terms:—As Customary.

GEO. P. LAMBERT,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, February 22, 1899. 440

PONIES, PONIES, PONIES.

THE Undersigned will hold the
ANNUAL SALE OF RACE PONIES
on **TUESDAY**, the 28th instant, at 3 p.m.,
opposite the City Hall, when upwards of
60 Ponies will be offered.

Entries will be received until Noon on
day of Sale.

HUGHES & HOUGH,
Auctioneers.

Hongkong, February 25, 1899. 479

PROPERTY FOR SALE
AT SHANGHAI.

THE following PROPERTY will be
offered for SALE by PUBLIC
AUCTION, on **WEDNESDAY**, the 28th
March, at 10 o'clock, at the
Municipal Office, and to be notified
hereafter, unless previously disposed of by
Private Contract.

A Large PROPERTY, containing
about 700 mu, situated at the
Western extremity of HONGKONG, and
about 3 miles from the Foreign
Settlement and having a First-class frontage
on the Scotch Creek along the North
Schoow Road.

It is close to the THIRTIETH ROAD BRIDGE,
now nearly completed and is intersected by
the proposed line of North Thirtieth Road
leading to the neighbourhood of the
New Station.

There are at present on the Property
buildings, substantially constructed and
suitable for storing and manufacturing pur-
poses, but the greater part of the land is
vacant, the front portion being suitable for
Business Houses and the back for Chinese
Shops and Dwelling Houses.

Further particulars may be obtained from

MORRISON & GRANTON,
16, The Ring,
SHANGHAI.

Shanghai, February 20, 1899. 482

PUBLIC AUCTION.

On the 28th March next, there will be
sold in the Public Auction Rooms,
in Batavia, to the highest bidder,—
The Iron 2-masted light draught Mail
Steamer named after

GOVERNMENT-GENERAL MYER.
Built in 1871 by Messrs CHARLES CORNELL
& Co., in Glasgow, flying the Dutch
Flag.

Length as per certificate of measurement
690 metres (228 feet), beam 8.95 metres
(29 feet), depth 4.57 metres (15 feet),
measuring gross 542.04 and net 441.71
tons, draught empty 9 feet, draught loaded
14 feet; with 250 tons, and 12 second-class
passengers accommodation, compound steam
engines of 550 indicated
H.P., condenser and donkey boiler (new
in 1892), 4 bows, and all inventory.

To be sold as she is now lying in the
harbour of Tandjong Priok (Batavia),
where she is daily open for inspection.

In the meantime offers will be entertain-
ed.

The Agents
**KONINKLIJKE PAKETVAART MAATSCHAPPIJ,
LAUTS, WEEVER & Co.,**
Hongkong, February 9, 1899. 290

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TO BE SOLD BY
PUBLIC AUCTION

At KOBE,

on the

4th MARCH

(Instead of at NAGASAKI, as previously
notified.)

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s S. S.
"BRINDISI,"
as she now lies in NAGASAKI HARBOUR.
Built in 1880 by Wm. Duxford and Sons
at Sunderland.

Length 360 feet, Breadth 40 feet, Depth
31 feet.

Gross Tonnage 3088 Tons, Effective Horse
Power of Engines 2600.

Capacity of holds 4500 Tons of 40 cubic
feet.

The Engines are in excellent preserva-
tion and the ship, with some repairs,
could be put in thorough seagoing condi-
tion, or she could be converted into an
admirable Hulk or Receiving Ship.

Private offers for the purchase of the
vessel will be entertained in the meantime.
For further particulars, apply to

H. A. RITCHIE
Superintendent.

Hongkong, February 27, 1899. 361

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUI.
The Company's Chartered Steamship
PRONTO,
Captain Granton, will be despatched for
the above Ports, on **WEDNESDAY**, the
1st March, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAIR & CO.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, February 27, 1899. 490

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY
COMPANY.

**FOR PACIFIC COAST, CANADA, AND
THE UNITED STATES.**

THE C. P. R. Company's Steamship
"PARIAH,"

4,425 Tons gross Register, will be despatched
on or about **MONDAY**, the 6th March,
for Victoria, and Vancouver, via Mori,
Kobe and Yokohama.

The Vessel has excellent Accommodation
for Saloon Passengers. Through Tickets
are sold to all points.

Through Bills of Lading issued to Pacific
Co., Canada and the United States.

For information as to rates of Freight
and Passage, &c., apply to

D. E. BROWN,
General Agent.

Hongkong, February 27, 1899. 493

To-day's Advertisements

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF
HONGKONG.

IN HONGKONG.

Receiving Order.

No. 5 of 1899.

**Re MIGUEL ANGELO ANTONIO DE
SOUZA,** residing at No. 9, Castle
Avenue, Victoria, Hongkong, and
deposing on his oath at No. 74,
Wyndham Street, aforesaid, under
the style of M. A. DE SOUZA and
COMPANY.

Receiving Order dated 3rd February, 1899.
Petition dated 2nd February, 1899.

Notice of First General Meeting of
Creditors.

No. 5 of 1899.

Re MIGUEL ANGELO ANTONIO DE
SOUZA, carrying on business as
above.

FRIDAY, the 3rd day of March, 1899,
at 12 o'clock at Noon, precisely, has
been fixed for the First General Meeting of
Creditors in the above Matter, to be held
at the Official Receiver's Office, Land Office,
Queen's Road Central, Victoria aforesaid.

No Creditor can vote unless he previously
proves his debt.

Forms of Proof and Proxy can be ob-
tained at the Official Receiver's Office
during Office hours.

At the First General Meeting the Creditors
will be asked to consider whether the
Debtor shall be adjudged Bankrupt or
whether they, the Creditors, will entertain
a proposal for a Composition or Scheme of
Arrangement.

Dated this 24th day of February, 1899.

BRUCE SHEPHERD,
Official Receiver,
Land Office, Hongkong.

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THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAM
SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA DIRECT.

ESMERALDA.

Captain TAYLOR, will be despatched for the
above port on **THURSDAY**, the 2nd March,
at 5 p.m.

The Steamer has Superior Accommodation
for Passengers and is fitted with the
Electric Light.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
SHEWAN TOMES & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, February 27, 1899. 486

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY.STEAM FOR
SINGAPORE, SOERABAYA, FIUME
AND TRIESTE.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to Black
Sea, Levant, and Adriatic Ports).

THE Company's Steamship

ISTRIA.

Captain RABENHOF, will be despatched as
above on **SATURDAY**, the 4th of March,
in the Forenoon.

For information as to Freight, apply to
SANDER, WIELER & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, February 27, 1899. 496

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Company's Steamship

ANTENOR.

Captain JACKSON, will be despatched as
above on **SATURDAY**, the 4th March, at
Noon.

For Freight, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.

Hongkong, February 27, 1899. 495

STEAMSHIP OCEANIC.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSEGERIES
MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of cargo from London
and Havre, ex S. S. **Charente**, in con-
nection with the above Steamer, are hereby
informed that their Goods, with the excep-
tion of Opium, Treasure and Valuables,
are being landed and stored at their risk into
the Godowns of the HONGKONG, KOWLOON
WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY, Ltd., at Kow-
loon, whence delivery may be obtained
immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on
unless intimation is received from the Con-
signees before **MONDAY** To-Day, 7 a.m.,
requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
the Undersigned, Goods remaining undeliv-
ered after **MONDAY**, the 6th March, at Noon
will be subject to rent and landing charges.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or
before the **MONDAY**, the 6th March, or they
will not be recognized.

All damaged Packages will be examined
on **MONDAY**, the 6th March, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.

Hongkong, February 27, 1899. 497

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY,
LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

**FROM GLASGOW, BIRKENHEAD &
SWANSEA.**

THE Company's Steamship **Chingco,**
having arrived from the above Ports,
Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that
their Goods are being landed at their
risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG
& KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN CO., Ltd., at Kow-
loon, whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the
Goods have left the Godowns, and all
Claims must be sent in to the Office of the
Undersigned before Noon, on the 6th
March, or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods
are to be left in the Godowns, where they
will be examined on **MONDAY**, the 6th
March, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and
any Goods remaining in the Godowns after
the 6th March will be subject to rent.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless
notice to the contrary be given before
Noon To-Day.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, February 27, 1899. 498

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination.	Vessel.	Agents.	Date of Loading.
Australian Ports.	Shanghai (s)	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Mar. 30 at 4 p.m.
Shanghai (s)	Norddeutscher Lloyd	Mar. 1 at 9 a.m.	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About March 15	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About March 22	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About March 30	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About April 5	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About April 12	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About April 19	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About April 26	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About May 3	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About May 10	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About May 17	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About May 24	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About May 31	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About June 7	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About June 14	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About June 21	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About June 28	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About July 5	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About July 12	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About July 19	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About July 26	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About August 2	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About August 9	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About August 16	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About August 23	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About August 30	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About September 6	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About September 13	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About September 20	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About September 27	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About October 4	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About October 11	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About October 18	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About October 25	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About November 1	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About November 8	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About November 15	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About November 22	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About November 29	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About December 6	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About December 13	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About December 20	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About December 27	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About January 3	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About January 10	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About January 17	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About January 24	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About January 31	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About February 7	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About February 14	
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Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About February 28	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About March 5	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About March 12	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About March 19	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About March 26	
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Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About March 1	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About March 8	
Shanghai (s)	Carlotta & Co.	About March 15	

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND of 8% per SHARE for the Six
Months ending 31st December, 1898,
declared at Monday's Ordinary Yearly
Meeting, will be PAYABLE at the Premises
of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI
BANKING CORPORATION, on and after **TUES-
DAY**, the 28th February, and on **THURSDAY**,
the 29th February, at 11 o'clock a.m., for the
purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts
and the Report of the General Managers,
for the year ending 31st December, 1898,
declaring Dividend and Electing a Consult-
ing Committee and Auditors, and for the
TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be
CLOSED from the 2nd March to the 16th
March, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN TOMES & Co.,
General Managers.

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.
(Subject to Alteration).
EMPRESS OF JAPAN.....Comdr. G. A. LEE. N. N. Y. WEDNESDAY, 18th May, '09.
EMPRESS OF OHIWA.....Comdr. R. ARTHUR, R. N. R. WEDNESDAY, 24th April '09.
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THE magnificent TWIN-SCREW STEAMSHIPS of the Line pass through the famous
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NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FROM THE HARBOR OF HONGKONG,
 THE SHANGHAI, INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, KOREA AND YOKOHAMA.

Steamer.	Tons.	Captain.	Proposed Sailing.	Steamer.	Tons.	Captain.	Proposed Sailing.
Glenade.....	8750 1/2.	McGillivray	Mar. 21	Zenobia.....	3877	J. C. Williamson	Mar. 1

Olympic	32697 J. Truebridge	April 10	Comanche	20978 T. H. Dobson	April
Victoria	32803 J. Pantos	April 20	Monmouthshire	20974 W. A. Evans	May
Faamotu	28114 A. Dixon	May 15	Zenith	32677 J. O. W. Hanson	June

* Calling at HONOLULU, and not calling at SEAHAM.

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 Excellent accommodation. First Class Table. Doctors and Stewards carried.
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 Rates of Passage to other Ports on application.
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Consular Invoices of Goods for United States Ports should be in quadruplicate, and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of the Freight Agents, and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of the Freight Agents, and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of the Freight Agents, and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of the Freight Agents.

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BLACK SEA and BALTIC PORTS; NORTH and SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS).

PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

Steamers.	Destination.	Sailing Date.
* S. S. <i>SILEZIA</i> , Capt. DEBENS.	HAMBURG, BREMEN, (London with transhipment in H'burg)	(About 15th March.) Freight Passage.
S. S. <i>SURYLIA</i> , Captain FROST.	HAMBURG, BREMEN, (London with transhipment in H'burg)	(About 22nd March.) Freight.

S. S. WITTENBERG, Capt. MADSEN,	HAVE, HAMBURG/BRISMAE (Lden with transshipment in H'burg).	About 20th March.	Freight
S. S. NURNBERG, Capt. Y. BINZER,	HAVE, HAMBURG/BRISMAE (Lden with transshipment in H'burg).	About 8th April.	Freight

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For further particulars as to Freight, Passage, etc., apply to
GABLOWITZ & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, February 21, 1899.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA

(THE JAPAN MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.)

PROMOTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—BULLET TO ALBERTON.

Steamers.	Destinations.	Sailing Dates.
KANAGAWA MARU.	NAGASAKI, MOJI, KOBE &	WEDNESDAY, May 22 a.m.

J. MACKENZIE, YAMAGUCHI MARU, J. F. ALLEN,	YOKOHAMA, NAGASAKI DIRECT, MARSEILLES, LONDON, and ANTWERP, Via Singapore, PERANG, Colombo and Port Said	WEDNESDAY, Mar., at 4 p.m.
HITACHI MARU, C. HILLCOAT,		THURSDAY March, at 1 p.m.
		FRIDAY, 30

ONI MARU NAGASAKI, ACHIA YOKOHAMA	March, at 4 p.m.
WAKASA MARU J. B. Macmillan	<div> MANGSHILLS, LONDON, AUNT WETP. 4 BREMEN, 31. OINGA PORT PENANG, COLOMBO and PORT SAID. </div> TUESDAY, 14 Mar., at 4 p.m.

* Through Passages, India and Holland, are also covered for the shortest time to the United States, Germany and Europe, in connection with the Great Northern RAILWAY and ALASKA SYSTEM.

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A. E. MITCHELL, Manager.

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HONGKONG, February 27, 1964

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour

of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from the shore and extending seaward, as follows:—
1. The section between the shore and the first buoy, marked A.
2. The section between the first buoy, marked A, and the second buoy, marked B.
3. The section between the second buoy, marked B, and the third buoy, marked C.
4. The section between the third buoy, marked C, and the fourth buoy, marked D.
5. The section between the fourth buoy, marked D, and the fifth buoy, marked E.
6. The section between the fifth buoy, marked E, and the sixth buoy, marked F.
7. The section between the sixth buoy, marked F, and the seventh buoy, marked G.
8. The section between the seventh buoy, marked G, and the eighth buoy, marked H.
9. The section between the eighth buoy, marked H, and the ninth buoy, marked I.
10. The section between the ninth buoy, marked I, and the tenth buoy, marked J.
11. The section between the tenth buoy, marked J, and the eleventh buoy, marked K.
The buoys are marked as follows:—
A. A red buoy.
B. A red buoy.
C. A red buoy.
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Flag and Sig.	Tons	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Brit. str.	5883	Dec. 20	P. R. Co.		K'loon Dock
Italian str.	3500	Dec. 25	Carlovitz & Co.		
British str.	1547	Feb. 11	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	S'pore and Bombay	Feb. 23.
Ger. str.	1275	Jan. 27	Siemssen & Co.	S'pore & Calcutta	
Brit. str.	1115	Feb. 28	Yuen Fat Hong		
Ger. str.	624	Feb. 20	Siemssen & Co.		
British str.	787	Feb. 22	Lauze, Wegener & Co.		
Ger. str.	903	Feb. 25	Jebsen & Co.		
Brit. str.	5904	Feb. 28	P. R. Co.	Vancouver, B.C.	March 15.
Brit. str.	316	Feb. 23	Shewan, Thomas & Co.		
Chi. str.	928	Feb. 26	C. M. & N. Co.		
British str.	1434	Feb. 26	Joo Teck Sing		
Norw. str.	849	Feb. 28	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Ger. str.	9039	Feb. 27	Malchore & Co.		
Ger. str.	985	Feb. 25	Jebsen & Co.		
French str.	739	Feb. 28	A. R. Barry	Hai Phong	Feb. 23.
Chi. str.	1266	Feb. 25	C. M. & N. Co.		
French str.	704	Jan. 24	A. R. Barry		K'loon Dock
Ger. str.	693	Feb. 24	Jebsen & Co.		March 1.
Japan. str.	3151	Feb. 29	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Nagasaki	
British str.	3412	Feb. 27	Carlovitz & Co.		
British str.	2124	Feb. 24	David Sassoon, Sons & Co.		
British str.	978	Feb. 28	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Ger. str.	470	Feb. 27	Jebsen & Co.		
Ger. str.	1413	Jan. 21	Malchore & Co.		K'loon Dock
British str.	359	Feb. 27	W. W. Brown	Manila	March 2.
Ger. str.	983	Feb. 23	Douglas Steamship Co.		
Danish str.	746	Jan. 8	East Asiatic Co.		March 4.
Japan. str.	3302	Feb. 24	Toyoko Kisen Kaisha	San Francisco	
British str.	1011	Feb. 23	Yuen Fat Hong		
Ger. str.	1021	Feb. 21	Yuen Fat Hong		
Norw. str.	760	Feb. 21	Sander, Wieler & Co.		
Ger. str.	750	Feb. 23	Douglas Steamship Co.		
Ger. str.	1150	Feb. 23	Sander, Wieler & Co.		
Japan. str.	1125	Feb. 23	Mitsui Yusen Kaisha		
Ger. str.	848	Feb. 21	Meyer & Co.		
Brit. str.	1540	Feb. 23	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Norw. str.	739	Feb. 17	Sander, Wieler & Co.		
British str.	3793	Feb. 23	P. R. Co.		
Ger. str.	1240	Feb. 26	Siemssen & Co.		
Norw. str.	710	Feb. 2	East Asiatic Trading Co.		K'loon Dock
Japan. str.	2036	Feb. 21	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Nagasaki & Yama	March 4.
Amor. bgs.	1300	Dec. 23	Standard Oil Co.		
Brit. bgs.	1064	Jan. 27	Orford		
Brit. sh.	1192	Jan. 28	Master		
Br 4-m. bk	2437	Feb. 4	Standard Oil Co.		
Amor. sh.	1900	Dec. 20	Standard Oil Co.		

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SHARE LIST—QUOTATIONS—FEBRUARY 17, 1899.

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No. of	Paid	Closing Quotations,
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Stocks.	Shares.	Value.	up.	Cash.

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	80,000	125	all	271 % prem = \$483.78
Bank of China & Japan Limited				(ex div., sell)

Bank of China & Japan, Ltd.	39,950.00	8.2	32.00	buyers
preference shares	188,875.00	8.3	421.00	buyers

long	11	deferred	1,250	12	125.5
00	11	deferred	10	10	8,920
		National Bank of China, Limited			

<p>MARINE INSURANCES.</p> <p>General Insurance Office Co. Ltd. ...</p>	<p>10,000</p>	<p>250</p>	<p>50</p>	<p>150</p>
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China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd.	24,000	83.83	25,664
North China Insurance Co., Ltd.	5,000	100	5,114,180

gen.	Straits Insurance Co., Ltd.	30,000\$	100\$	20 \$4, sales and others
	Union Insurance Society, Ltd.	10,000\$	250\$	50 \$230, sales

Yangtze Insurance Association, Ltd.	8,000	100	80	\$125, sellers
FIRE INSURANCE				